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**Jai Shree Krishna.** Apologies for the delay of this eNewsletter issue - due mainly to the holiday and wedding seasons! We have issued interim Newsflash emails to announce special events. Thanks for your continued support for LCUK eNews - please get your Lohana friends and family to subscribe free at [www.Lohana.info](http://www.Lohana.info)



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## Community News & Events

### LCUK Congratulates Lohana Lord (Dolar Popat)

President Panna Raja, the Trustees and members of Central Council of Lohana Community United Kingdom would like to congratulate **Lord Dolar Popat** for being appointed to the House of Lords.

Lord Dolar Popat intends to strengthen business ties between India and the UK. He says "As I am in business, from my side I would try to strengthen business ties between India and the UK. As India is a growing country with a young population and middle class people, as part of the economy, we would make the best use of it". The business tycoon will be sworn in on the 28th of June, and will take a seat in the House of Lords as Lord Popat of Stanmore.

### Sarlaben Davda Cancer Appeal

Smt Sarlaben Davda has been diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia (ALL) and is currently undergoing intensive chemotherapy to induce a remission. So far the response to chemo have been very good but the best chance for a cure Sarlaben is to have a Stem Cell Transplant—also known as Bone Marrow Transplant

To help find a suitable donor her family has organised a bone marrow drive in conjunction with the Anthony Nolan Trust on **Saturday 3rd of July** at the **RCT hall in North London** from 10am to 3.30pm. [Click here](#) for further details

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There is a shortage of suitable registered donors and in particular currently there are very few donors from the various Ethnic minority groups, hence the great urgency for action.

We are personally requesting if you could please spread the word about the need to be a registered donor either by word of mouth, by email or through the various social networking organisations or through the community groups that you all belong to, to help find a suitable donor.

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### LCNL Grand Speed Dating Event

Lohana Community of North London (LCNL) is organising a Grand Speed Dating Event for all UK Lohanas

Taking place at **The VIP Lounge** in Edgware , from 11 am to 4 pm on **Sunday 25th July**, this is an ideal opportunity for Young Lohanas from around the UK to come and meet prospective life partners

The registration cost is £25 per candidate, inclusive of vegetarian lunch and soft drinks. Entrance is by advance registration only. The registration deadline is 30th June 2010. [Click here](#) for further details and registration form.

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### Other News & Events

#### Wembley & Crawley Mandirs Open "2 Temples, 1 Vision"

The month of May witnessed a historic occasion for London's Hindu community, the opening of two grand Sanatan Hindu Mandirs, in Wembley and Crawley respectively. The opening of the mandirs is the culmination of years of hard work, devotion and faith on the part of countless volunteers and devotees. Key ambassadors of both of the projects are prominent Lohanas who have served the community tirelessly over the years.

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Shri Vallabh Nidhi's (Wembley Mandir) executive chairman is Shri **Narendrabhai Thakrar** (North London), an LCUK Trustee in 2009. LCUK trustee Shri **Ajaybhai Jobanputra** (South London) is also a governor on the SVNUK Board. One of the key ambassadors of the Crawley mandir is Shri **Piyooshbhai Chotai**, President of Lohana Community South London.

Both Mandirs been built using ancient techniques based on Hindu scriptures, the "Shipla Shastra". Many of the temple's component pieces have been hand carved in limestone in the tiny town of Sola - located in the Indian state of Gujarat - before being flown over and pieced together in the UK. Click [here](#) to view a **video tour of the Wembley Sanatan Mandir** by Ajaybhai Jobanputra.



### Contributions and Feedback

If you have any contributions to make to our next e-newsletter, please email all relevant details / articles to [enews@lcuk.org.uk](mailto:enews@lcuk.org.uk). News items provided will be included if relevant and with space permitting. The eNews Editorial team reserves the right to make amendments if and as necessary

Similarly, if you have any feedback to give us on this e-newsletter please email details to Ajay Jobanputra on [feedback@lcuk.org.uk](mailto:feedback@lcuk.org.uk) - thank you for your time and support.

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